



Dependable Worship Support When You Need It

Dear Friends,

Many congregations today are navigating seasons of transition—whether initiated by change in pastors, dwindling budgets, or just changes in levels of energy and capacity.

Sometimes the need is structural. Sometimes it's simply that the minister needs a Sunday off, is on vacation, or medical leave, a musician or pulpit supply preacher is unavailable, worship volunteers or readers are taking a break or traveling.

What we hear again and again is this: *“We want to stay together—but we can’t do it on our own.”*

Firebird Spirit can help meet those moments with steadiness, preparation, and care.

Firebird’s Worship Supply Kit is designed not around a single person, but around **reliable worship support**—ready whenever a congregation needs help sustaining all or part of your meaningful worship.

When you request a service, you pay **what you would normally pay for pulpit supply**. In return, you receive far more than a sermon alone:

- all **prayers** and Scripture **readings**
- a printed **sermon** from ordained clergy that may be read aloud if you choose
- a complete worship service **video** to be used in its entirety or in portions, as needed
- and all **music**—available both within the video (audio) and in written form

Participating congregations receive a **private download link** to the full service—prayers, Scripture, music, preaching, and periodic communion—along with a **Word document** containing all spoken and sung texts for easy local use. Use them to read aloud in worship (sermon, prayers), or to cut and paste directly into your own bulletin.

This **mix-and-match** approach allows you to:

- use your own musicians or singers alongside the video, or independent of it,
- invite lay leaders to share readings or prayers,

- rely on the full service as prepared,
- or adapt the pieces to fit the flow of your local worship life

Our mission is simple:

to support congregations in continuing to gather with meaning and joy—
without adding stress, last-minute logistics, or extra preparation to already busy weeks.

Firebird Spirit is an **inclusive, volunteer-powered worship community**, supported by contributors and donors from across the country. In the past year, more than **100,000 people** have joined us for worship online and our videos have close to a half million views.

A list of our Messengers (preachers and worship leaders), answers to commonly asked questions, letters of introduction from people you might know, testimonial comments from those who have worshiped with us, and a full outline of the program can be found at: <https://www.firebirdspirit.org/supply/>

We warmly invite you to check us out. Preview one of our worship services on YouTube (**@FirebirdSpiritHOPE**), and/or schedule a brief Zoom conversation with your leadership team and us.

We would be honored to support your congregation—

With care and blessing—
(because we really are all in this together),



Rev. Deb Swift

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